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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Applicant: Sergey POPOV  
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Docket No.: 1521-US

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS  
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

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Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Notice of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated April 3, 2006.

Applicant respectfully submits herewith:

- A copy of the Notice of Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application;
- A Signed Oath or Declaration.

No fees are believed due. However, the United States Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account Number 501380 any amount which is necessary in connection with the filing of this response and petition.

Favorable action on this response is courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/22/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/22/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 12/22/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 12/22/2005
- Small Entity Statement filed on 12/22/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 12/22/2005
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- Priority Documents filed on 12/22/2005
- Specification filed on 12/22/2005
- Claims filed on 12/22/2005
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- Drawings filed on 12/22/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

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The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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